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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman Honor and Merit Awards Board

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SUBJECT : Recommendations for Honor or Merit Awards [REDACTED]

1. I am forwarding with pleasure the attached recommendations for honor or merit awards for the subject Office of Communications personnel.

2. In reviewing the enclosures relating to acts of heroism and gallantry, and in heartily endorsing adequate recognition for the performances of these personnel, I would suggest consideration be given to the possibility of a higher award than a Certificate of Merit with Distinction.

3. Few times, if any, in one's career are opportunities presented to demonstrate attributes of bravery and superior devotion to duty. When such an occasion arises - and even if it is thrust upon him - if an employee displays an unusual sense of duty, fortitude and determination, it seems only fitting to reward such action with greater recognition than a mere certificate accompanied by a small emolument.

4. By such acknowledgment of characteristically inspired duty we can do much, in my opinion, towards furtherance of an esprit de corps within the Agency. Hence, I believe a recommendation for award of the Intelligence Star or Intelligence Medal of Merit would be in order.

[REDACTED]
L. K. White
Deputy Director
(Support)

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